IN THE CLAIMS

1.   (currently amended) A data processing apparatus, comprising:

a plurality of output terminals for outputting digital data, said digital data including predetermined copy control data; and

a control means for controlling each <u>of</u> said <u>plurality of</u> output terminal<u>s</u> such that said digital data is output from only a specified one of said plurality of output terminals according to said predetermined copy control data.

2.   (previously   presented)   The   data   processing apparatus according to claim 1, wherein said control means adds said   predetermined copy control data to said digital data to be output from said one specified output terminal.

3.   (previously   presented)   The   data   processing apparatus according to claim 1, wherein said predetermined copy control data indicates whether said digital data can be copied.

4.   (currently amended)   A data processing method, comprising:

conveying digital data to a plurality of outputs<u>_on</u> <u>an apparatus</u>;

adding predetermined copy control data to said digital data; and

controlling <u>each of</u> said plurality of outputs such that <u>said digital data is output from</u> only a specified one of said plurality of outputs ~~allows said digital data to be output~~ according to said predetermined copy control data.

5.   (previously presented)   The data processing method according to claim 4, wherein the step of adding predetermined control data further comprises:

adding said predetermined copy control data to said digital data to be output from said one specified output.

6. (previously presented) The data processing method according to claim 4, wherein said predetermined copy control data indicates whether said digital data can be copied.